

# Johnny Cash - I Hung My Head

Tom: C  
Intro: C F C F C C

C  
Early one morning  
F  
With time to kill  
Am  
I borrowed Jebb's rifle  
F  
And sat on a hill  
C  
I saw a lone rider  
F  
Crossing the plain  
Am  
I drew a bead on him  
F  
To practice my aim

Dm  
My brother's rifle  
G  
Went of in my hand  
G  
A shot rang out  
C  
Across the land  
F  
The horse, he kept running  
Am  
The rider was dead  
C  
I hung my head  
F  
I hung my head

C  
I set off running  
F  
To wake from the dream  
Am  
My brother's rifle  
F  
Went into the sheen  
C  
I kept on running  
F  
Into the south lands  
Am  
That's where they found me  
F  
My head and my hands

Dm  
The sheriff he asked me  
G  
Why had I run  
G  
And then it came to me  
C  
Just what I had done  
F  
And all for no reason  
Am  
Just one peace of lead  
C  
I hung my head  
F  
I hung my head

C  
Here in the court house

F  
The whole town was there  
Am  
I see the judge  
F  
High up in the chair  
C  
Explain to the court room  
F  
What went through you mind  
Am  
And we'll ask the jury  
F  
What verdict they find

Dm  
I felt the power  
G  
Of death over life  
G  
I orphaned his children  
C  
I widowed his wife  
F  
I begged their forgiveness  
Am  
I wish I was dead  
C  
I hung my head  
F  
I hung my head  
C  
I hung my head  
F  
I hung my head

C  
Early one morning  
F  
With time to kill  
Am  
I see the gallows  
F  
Up on a hill  
C  
And out in the distance  
F  
A trick of the brain  
Am  
I see a lone rider  
F  
Crossing the plain

Dm  
And he'd come to fetch me  
G  
To see what they'd done  
G  
And we'd ride together  
C  
To kingdom come  
F  
I prayed for god's mercy  
Am  
For soon I'd be dead  
C  
I hung my head  
F  
I hung my head  
C  
I hung my head  
F  
I hung my head

## Acordes

